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		i. Set forth below is a certification as specified in 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e).									
•		ii.	Applicant hereby petitions for the information disclosure states	e consideration of the accompanying nent. 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d)(ii).	SEP 15 2000 TC 2700 MAIL ROOM						
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	that no item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application or to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated in §1.56(c) more that three months prior to the filing of the statement. 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(2).										
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6.		A li	ist of <u>10</u> reference(s) is in the e	enclosed Form PTO-1449.							
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